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Mr. Thomas K. Latimer, Staff Director Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Tom:

In connection with some press clippings that I sent you on 8 March 1978 which demonstrate to some degree the effect created by open hearings on CIA and the media, you should know that the BBC is preparing a program on "The Role that CIA has played in the U.S. and Europe." Elwin Parry Jones is preparing the program for the BBC series "Panorama" (which produced the Kennedy assassination program on 6 March 1978) and has told the U.S. Embassy in London that he would be using the "Senate Report" and the three-part series which appeared in the New York Times as his principal sources.

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Remarks: Jim:

Attached are the promised copies of the paper we prepared in late 1974 for OMB on Agency supergrades, as well as another paper prepared last year on the same subject.

The Agency paper, while out of date in terms of specifics, is still conceptually and philosophically sound.

Also attached is the paper on FBIS costs we talked about last night.

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